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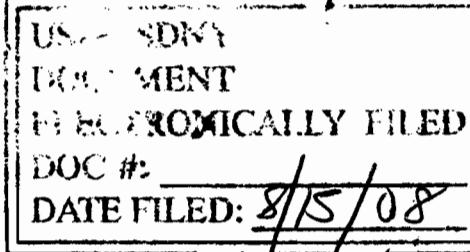
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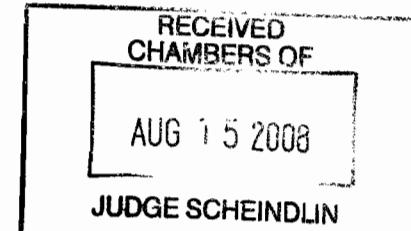
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In re Centerline Holding Securities Litigation, 08 Civ. 0505 (SAS)

Dear Judge Scheindlin:

On behalf of defendants in the above-captioned matter, we write to request the Court's permission to enlarge by fifteen pages defendant's memorandum of law in support of our motion to dismiss the consolidated amended complaint. Memoranda of law are limited to twenty-five pages in accordance with Your Honor's "Individual Rules and Procedures" dated October 31, 2005. Thus, defendants' request is to enlarge their memorandum of law not to exceed 40 double-spaced pages.

Because the three defense firms represent different defendants with somewhat different interests and defendants' request to submit a 40-page brief is denied.
No Order. Justice 7/15

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We note that the complaint consists of 179 paragraphs and seeks damages in connection with a proposed class period of over nine months. We also note that all defendants, represented by three law firms, will be filing a single brief.

Finally, we note that counsel for plaintiffs have graciously consented to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Rosen / esp".

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